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Hon. Edgardo Ramos, U.S.D.J. **United States District Court** Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, New York 10007

Rachel Weingeist v. Tropix Media & Entertainment, et al.

Civil Action No.: 1:20-cv-00275-ER

Dear Judge Ramos:

This Firm represents Defendants/Counterclaimants/Third-Party Plaintiffs, Tropix Media & Entertainment, Tropix Holdings LLC, Tropix Inc. and Mario Baeza relative to the abovereferenced action.

On September 23, 2022, this Firm requested permission from Plaintiff to extend the time to serve our clients' discovery demands. This Firm received no response to same.

Further, the Firm and our clients will be discontinuing our professional relationship. As Your Honor may recall, this Firm represents 3 entities as well as Mr. Baeza individually. As the Court is aware, Mr. Baeza cannot sign a Substitution of Attorney on behalf of the business entities.

As such, pursuant to the foregoing, we are respectfully requesting that the Court convene a conference to discuss a briefing schedule relative to a Motion to Withdraw as Counsel and Extend Time to serve discovery demands or in the alternative, that Your Honor grant permission to file such a motion.

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We thank Your Honor for the Court's consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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